



Falconhurst School Autumn 2020 - 2021

Year Group: Four

Pathway: Can I research like a historian?



To start our Year 4 journey, we're heading back in time on a historical adventure to learn about the Ancient Egyptians. We will find out about the most famous pharaoh, Tutankhamun, and how his tomb was discovered by Howard Carter (no relation to Miss Carter as far as we know!)

Our writing will be influenced by the topic and we'll explore the texts *The Story of Tutankhamun* by Patricia Cleveland-Peck and *Egyptian Tales: The Gold in the Grave* by Terry Deary. We will explore non-chronological reports, instructions, character descriptions, newspaper reports and posters and a biography of Tutankhamun.

Our Drivers for Learning and Success are:

Possibilities

To help us build aspiration for our futures through enquiry, enterprise and an appreciation of diversity we will:

Aspire to explore parts of our world which are far removed from our own. We will also consider our roles closer to home by looking at hopes for the future.

Knowledge of the World

To develop a sense of cultural capital which helps us to recognise, understand, value and learn from the world around us so that we are ambitious for our future, we will:

Recognise and appreciate areas of the world that are completely different from our local area.

To embed our healthy physical, emotional and mental wellbeing which builds our resilience and keeps us safe, we will:

Identify positive ways to face new challenges by looking for help and making responsible choices.

THE HOME-SCHOOL



CONNECTION

We would love to hear about any stories or experiences you, or any family members, may have that link to our Topic.

You will also be invited to an afternoon showcase of your child's work with date to be confirmed. Here we will be able to celebrate everything your child has learned and produced.

	New Knowledge and Skills	Build on our Prior Knowledge and Skills	Vocabulary	Home Links
<p>As Historians we will...</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explore artefacts Locate Egypt on a map Learn about the importance of the River Nile, how the mummification process works, who Tutankhamun was, how Ancient Egyptians communicated and who and what Egyptians worshipped. 	<p>Throughout school so far, children have explored different parts of history and learnt to investigate and research in different ways.</p>	<p>archaeologists canopic jars sarcophagus mummy afterlife pharaoh embalmed</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Visit the library together to find out more about Egyptian VIPs like Cleopatra.
<p>As Artists we will...</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Look at a variety of artists including René Lalique, Charles Catteau, Rene Paul Chambellan, Tamara de Lempicka who are linked to the Art Deco period. Explore the links between Art Deco and Cubism. Create our own prints to decorate an item in the style of Art Deco. Learn the ways ancient civilizations influenced art. 	<p>In KS1, children will have already begun to understand mixing paints to create different colours.</p>	<p>geometric streamlined distinctive pattern layer mood</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Perhaps you could see if you have anything resembling Art Deco at home and try recreating it.
<p>As Scientists we will...</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Group materials based on their properties. Understand how materials change state when they are heated and cooled and investigate the temperature at which this happens in degrees Celsius (°C). Describe what happens in the water cycle and understand how this is affected by temperature. Record our findings using scientific language, drawings, labelled diagrams, keys and tables. 	<p>In KS1, children will have described the simple physical properties of a variety of materials and will understand that the shapes of solid objects made from some materials can be changed.</p>	<p>evaporation condensation water cycle states of matter solids liquids gases melting</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Can you create your own experiment at home by looking at how water changes state by the process of heat? https://www.bbc.com/bitesize/topics/zkgg87h Learn about different states of matter.
<p>As Computer Users we will...</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Learn to use shortcuts for placing images and text from one place to another. Work with eBooks and presentation programmes. Detect and correct errors within 	<p>Previously, children will have used technology to retrieve digital content and explored online safety.</p>	<p>algorithm font hyperlink</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> https://www.stevenfallon.co.uk/webcams.html Take a look at images taken from webcams showing the mountains of Scotland.